

**ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME  
DIVISION OF COMMERCIAL FISHERIES  
NEWS RELEASE**



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**KOTZEBUE COMMERCIAL CHUM SALMON FISHING OPENING**

Commercial salmon fishing will be open for 12 hours from 6 a.m. until 6 p.m. on Thursday, August 29 in the Kotzebue District.

There are two buyers registered in the Kotzebue District and both will be buying salmon during the 12-hour fishing period.

Except for fishing periods that were affected by weather the catch has been average for the last week of fishing in Kotzebue.

If you have any questions concerning the fishery you can call the Kotzebue office at 442-3420, or the Commercial Fisheries office in Nome at 1-800-560-2271 or the buyer at 442-4192.